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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :
RAJEEV S. RAO : Docket: ACH2962 US
Serial No.: 10/647,887 : Examiner: David E. Sample
Filing Date: August 25, 2003 : Group Art Unit: 1755
For: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF :
DOPED PENTASIL-TYPE ZEOLITES :
USING A DOPE FAUJASITE SEEDS :

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to an Office Action mailed on December 8, 2004 rejecting instant claims 1, 2 and 4-8 and objecting to claims 3, 9 and 10.

Attached hereto are AMENDED CLAIMS.

Applicants note with gratitude indication by the Examiner of the allowability of claims 3, 9 and 10 if rewritten in independent form, including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Applicants have incorporated the subject matter of claim 3 into claim 1 and have cancelled claim 3. All claims depend directly from claim 1.

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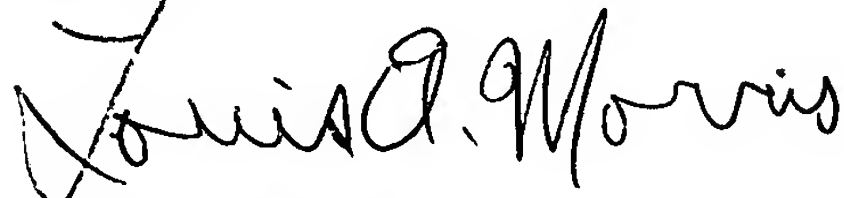
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An early allowance of the instant claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Louis A. Morris". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Louis" being more prominent.

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